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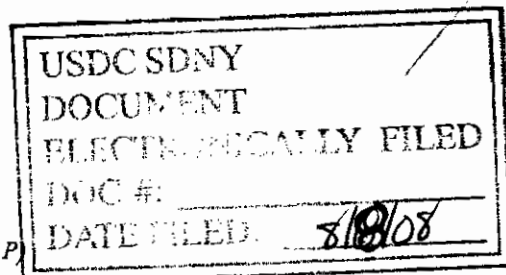
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Via Facsimile

The Honorable Loretta A. Preska
United States District Court Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street, Room 1320
New York, NY 10007



Re: *Amnesty International USA, et. al. v. CIA, et. al.*, 07 Civ. 5435 (LAP)

Dear Judge Preska:

I am one of two attorneys from Washington Square Legal Services ("WSLS") that has been serving as counsel to WSLS in the above-captioned matter. As I am leaving WSLS, I respectfully request that the Court grant me leave to withdraw as counsel. My departure will cause no delay to the progress of this matter. WSLS will continue to be represented by Margaret L. Satterthwaite.

I have attached to this letter a proposed order for your consideration. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

[Signature]
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